

# Tennessee Department of Labor & Workforce Development

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## Quick Summary of Unemployment Rates:

Sullivan County	7.3%
Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA MSA	7.4%
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol, TN-VA CSA	7.5%
United States	8.1%
State of Tennessee	8.2%
City of Kingsport	8.2%
Hawkins County	8.4%

CITY OF KINGSFORT	2008	2012	2013	Change (5 years)	Change (1 year)
Unemployment Rate	6.2%	8.9%	8.2%	2.0%	-0.7%
Construction Value***	\$88,560,394	\$68,017,382	\$52,592,528	-23.2%	-22.7%
Population**	44,758	48,205	50,851	7.7%	5.5%
Labor Force	18,850	20,420	20,770	10.2%	1.7%
Employed	17,680	18,600	19,080	7.9%	2.6%
Unemployed	1,180	1,820	1,700	44.1%	-6.6%

Unemployment (sorted low to high)	2008	2012	2013	Change (5 years)	Change (1 year)
Bristol (TN), City of	5.0%	7.1%	6.4%	1.4%	-0.7%
Johnson City, City of	5.2%	6.6%	6.6%	1.4%	0.0%
Washington County	5.1%	6.9%	6.7%	1.6%	-0.2%
Maryville, City of	9.1%	7.4%	6.9%	-2.2%	-0.5%
Oak Ridge, City of	4.5%	6.8%	7.2%	2.7%	0.4%
Sullivan County	4.7%	7.8%	7.3%	2.6%	-0.5%
Kingsport-Bristol MSA	5.1%	7.9%	7.4%	2.3%	-0.5%
Cleveland, City of	7.5%	9.0%	7.5%	0.0%	-1.5%
Johnson City-Kingsport-Bristol CSA	5.3%	7.8%	7.5%	2.2%	-0.3%
Johnson City MSA	5.3%	7.6%	7.5%	2.2%	-0.1%
U.S. unemployment	5.2%	8.5%	8.1%	2.9%	-0.4%
Tennessee, State of	5.8%	8.7%	8.2%	2.4%	-0.5%
Hawkins County	5.4%	8.7%	8.4%	3.0%	-0.3%
Carter County	5.8%	8.6%	8.6%	2.8%	0.0%
Morristown, City of	8.6%	10.1%	9.9%	1.3%	-0.2%
Greene County	8.6%	11.1%	11.6%	3.0%	0.5%

Green = Positive

Yellow = Cautiously Optimistic

Red = Negative

\*\*Available in July of following year, estimated for current year

\*\*\*As reported on Building Permits